In response to the restriction requirement in the Official Action of July 8, 2004, Applicant hereby elects without traverse (as clarified below), Group I, Claims 1-30 and 35-40, drawn to a method for manufacturing a light emitting device.

REMARKS

It is noted that the Official Action indicates that claim 35 belongs to Group II directed to a thin film apparatus. Applicant respectfully traverses this finding in that claim 35 depends from claim 1 and clearly recites a method of manufacturing a light emitting device. As such, claim 35 is believed to be properly included in Group I and is elected herewith.

Claims 31-34 have been canceled.

Examination on the merits is requested.

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